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***BALANCING SURVIVABILITY ATTRIBUTES:
THE COST OF MISSION SUCCESS***

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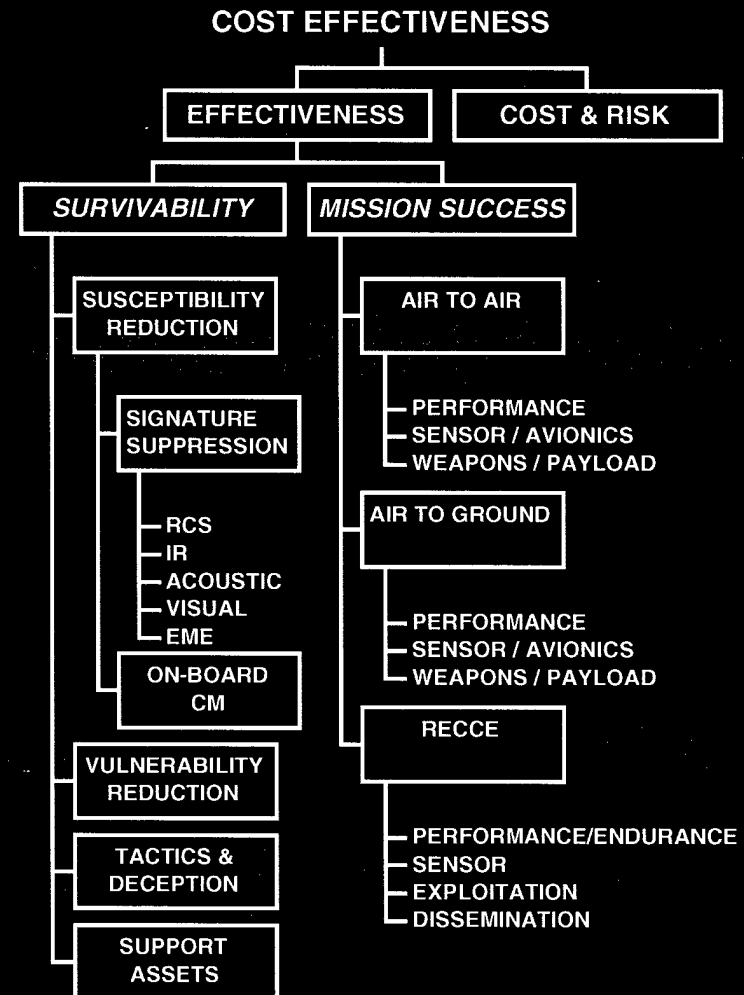
THE COST OF MISSION SUCCESS

- **BALANCING THE SURVIVABILITY ATTRIBUTES**
 - CHALLENGES
 - TOOLS
 - APPLICATIONS
- **VULNERABILITY IN THE BALANCE**
 - NEW PARADIGM
 - ANALYSIS REQUIREMENTS
 - VULNERABILITY ANALYSIS AS A REQUIREMENT SOURCE
- **THE CRITICAL ELEMENT: COST**

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BALANCING WEAPON SYSTEM ATTRIBUTES

EFFECTIVE, AFFORDABLE WEAPON
SYSTEMS INCORPORATE ALL THE
NECESSARY SURVIVABILITY AND
MISSION SUCCESS ATTRIBUTES TO
THE EXTENT THAT THEY
CONTRIBUTE TO MISSION SUCCESS



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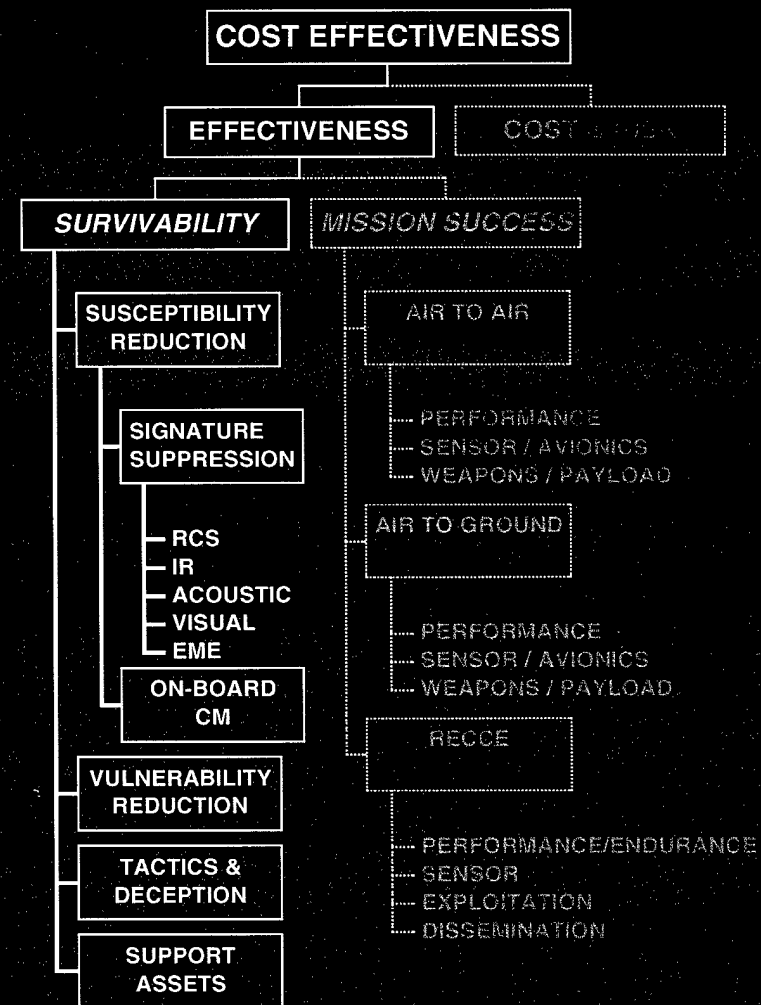
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BALANCING SURVIVABILITY ATTRIBUTES

BALANCING ATTRIBUTES WRT

- MISSION NEEDS
- EACH OTHER

TO ACHIEVE LOWEST COST OF
MISSION SUCCESS



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BALANCED IR REQUIREMENTS

- **INCREASING COMPLEXITY OF REQUIREMENTS...**

- IRCM WAS EFFECTIVE AND WAS CHEAPER THAN SUPPRESSION
- AVAILABILITY OF IR WEAPONS
- PROLIFERATIONS OF MISSILE TYPES AND TECHNOLOGIES



- **... NECESSITATES NEW TECHNIQUES AND METHODOLOGIES**

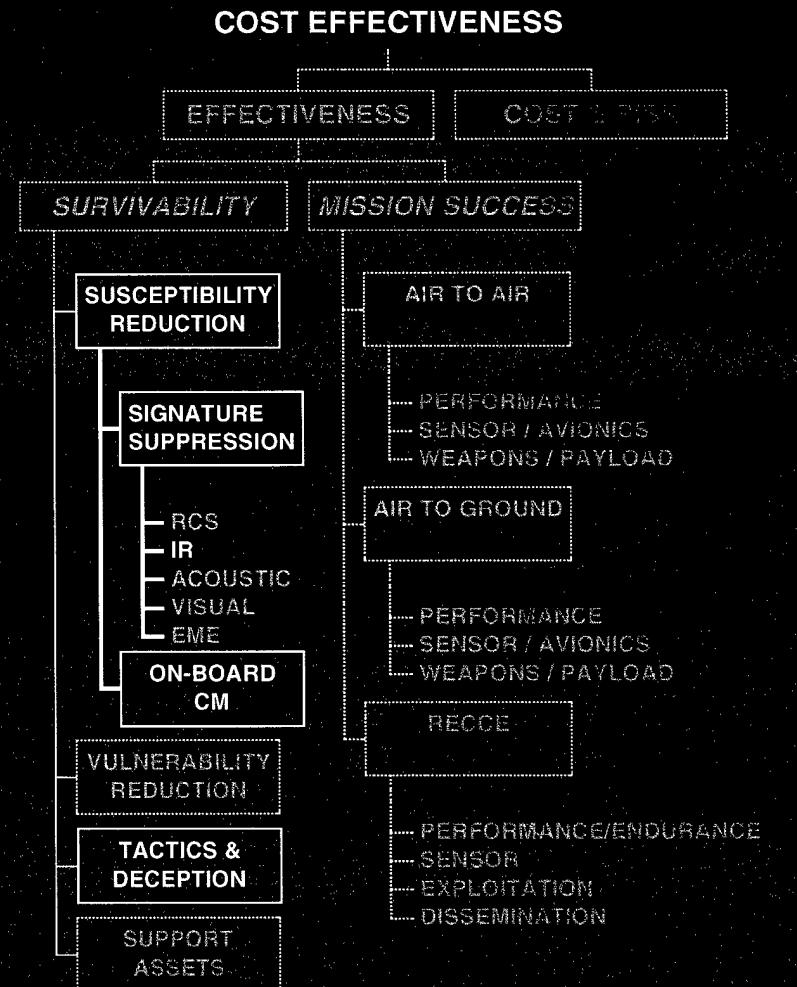
- SIGNATURE SPECIFICATION TO SURVIVABILITY REQUIREMENT
- NEW ANALYSIS TOOLS AND IMPROVED OLD ONES
 - **DETAILED IRCM**
 - **EXTENDED SOURCE IMAGE CAPABILITY**
 - **CONSISTANT DATABASES**
- FLOW UP AND FLOW DOWN OF REQUIREMENTS



SURVIVABILITY IMPROVEMENTS

• TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT

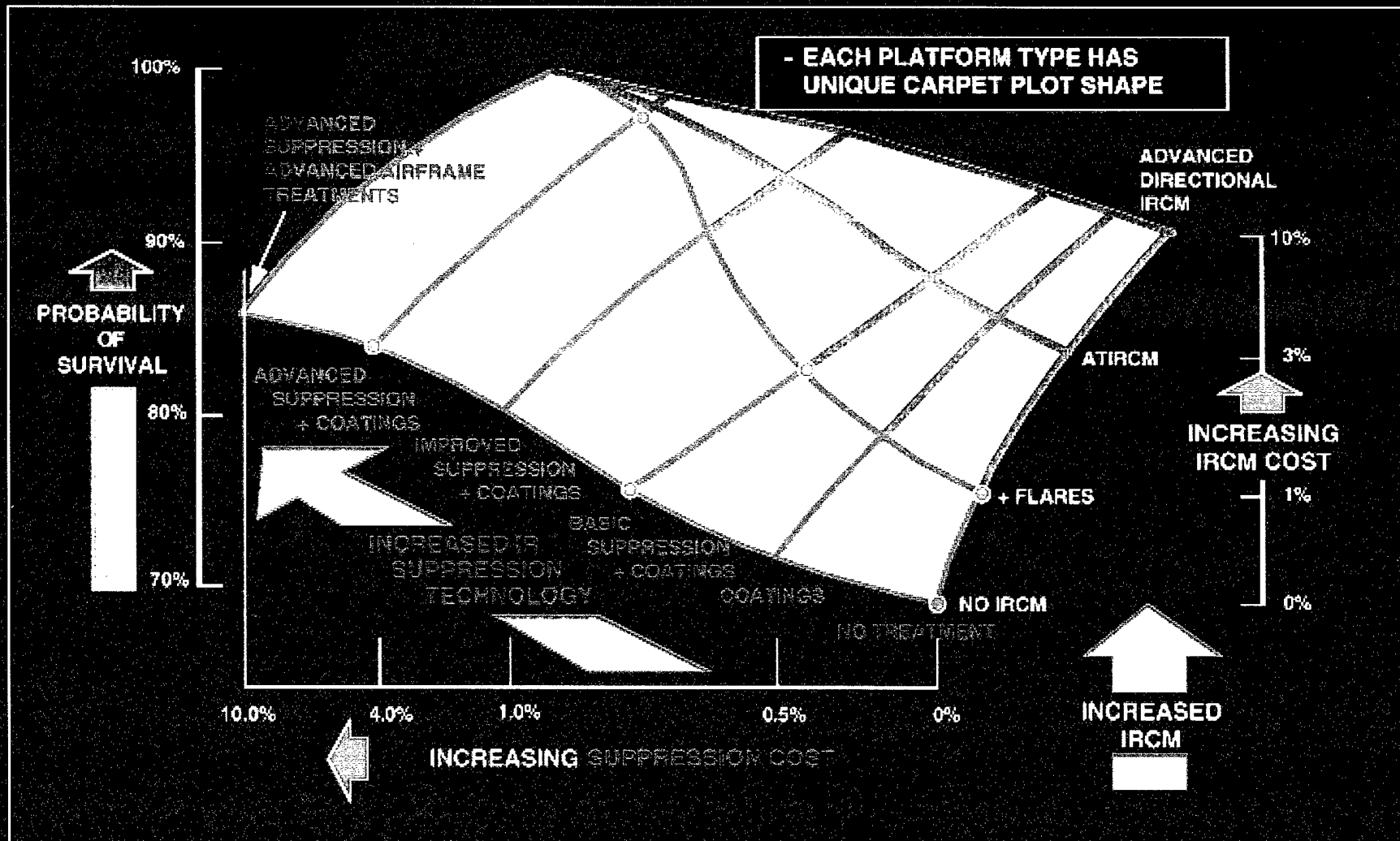
- IR SIGNATURE REDUCTION
- IRCM
- LOW ALTITUDE REGIME



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IR SAM SURVIVABILITY

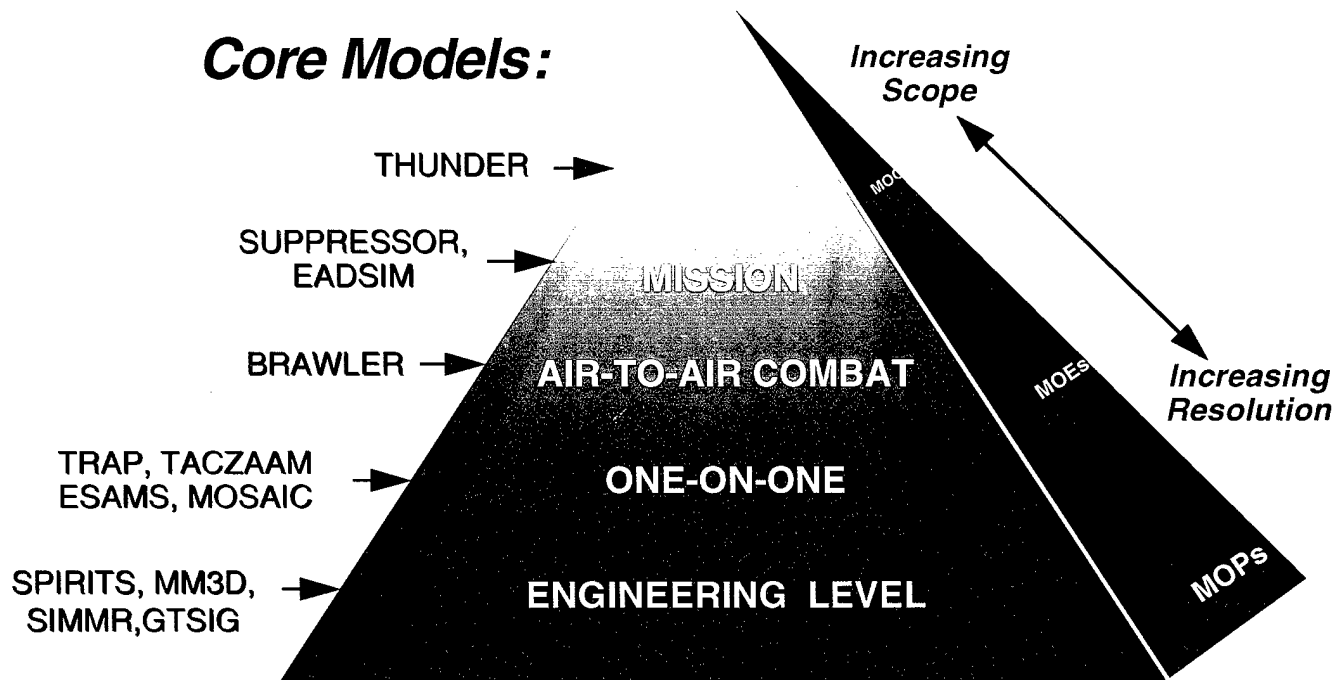


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ANALYSIS AND MODEL HIERARCHY

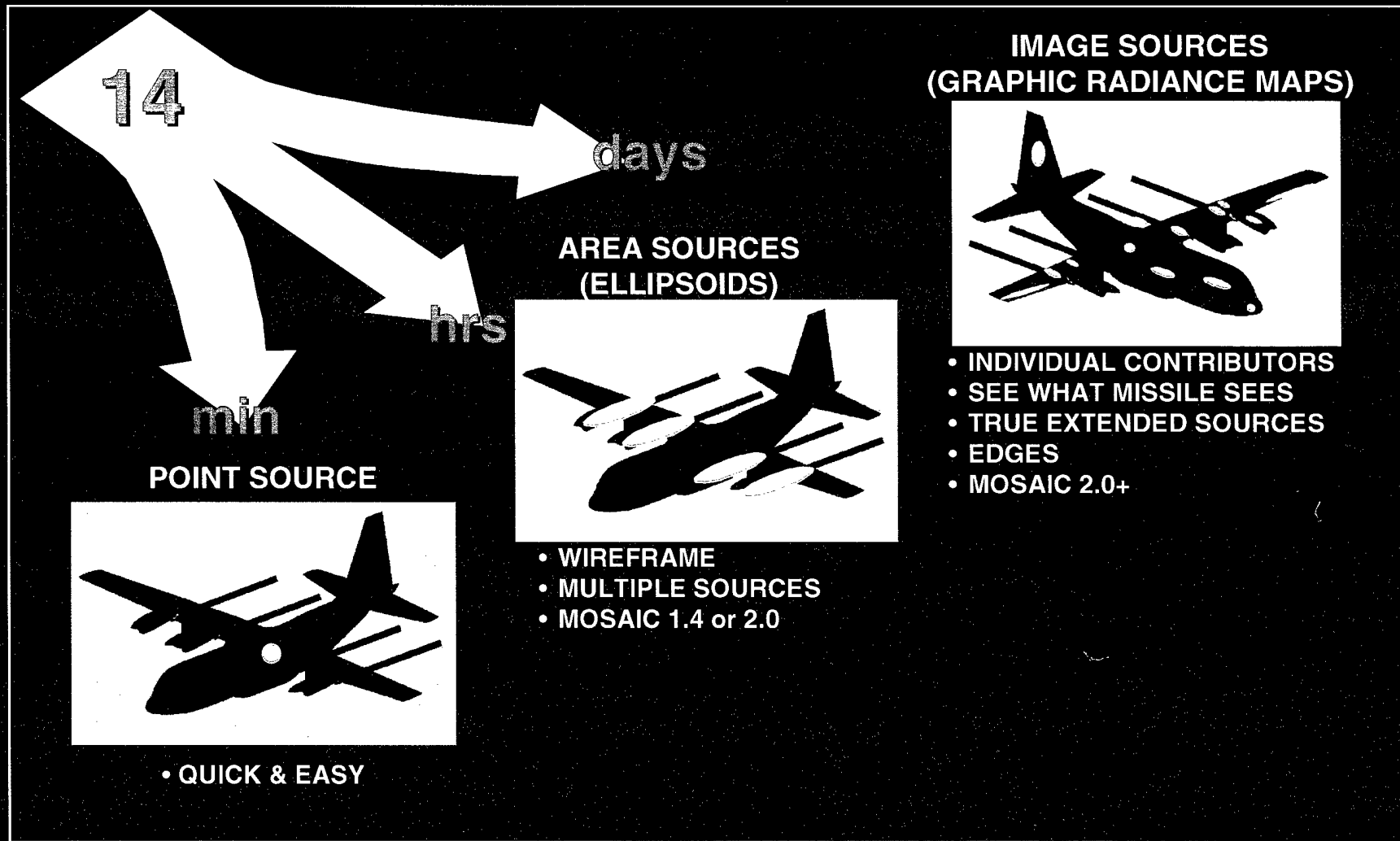


Metrics:
Measures of Outcome (MOOs)
Measures of Effectiveness (MOEs)
Measures of Performance (MOPs)

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MODELING FIDELITY AND COMPUTATIONAL BURDEN



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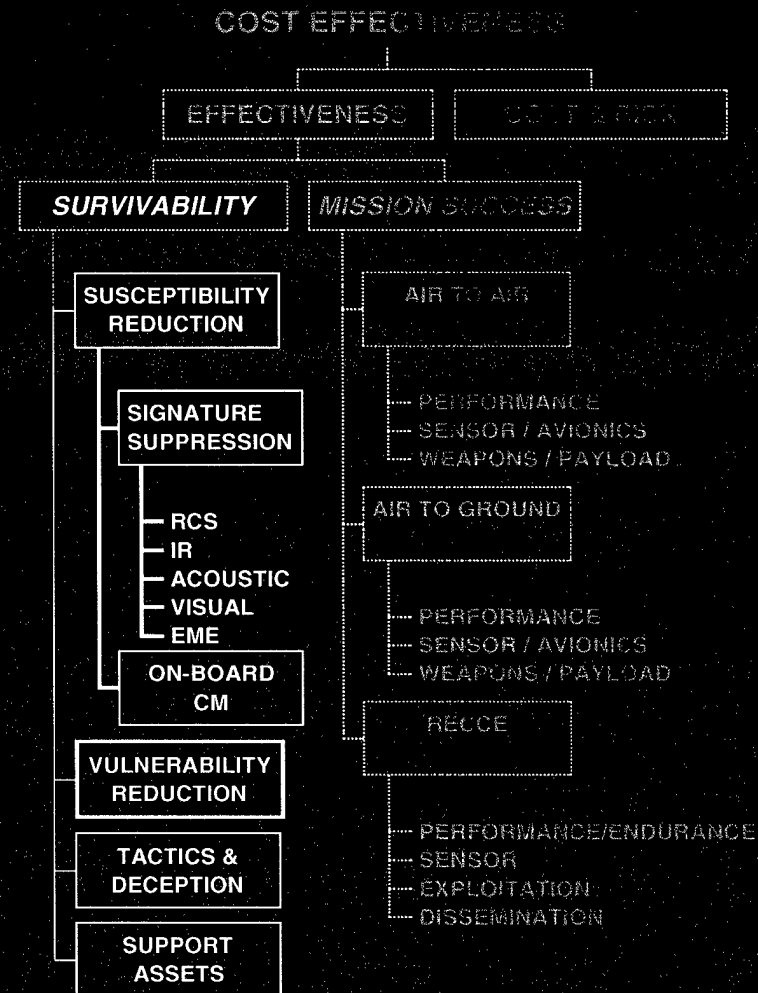
VULNERABILITY REDUCTION

• TRADITIONAL OBJECTIVES

- MAXIMUM HARDENING WRT AAA THREAT
 - PROVIDES HARDNESS TO ALL THREATS
- NO OR MINIMUM IMPACT ON COST, PERFORMANCE, WEIGHT
- PROVIDE GUIDANCE IN AIRCRAFT DESIGN

• REFINED OBJECTIVES

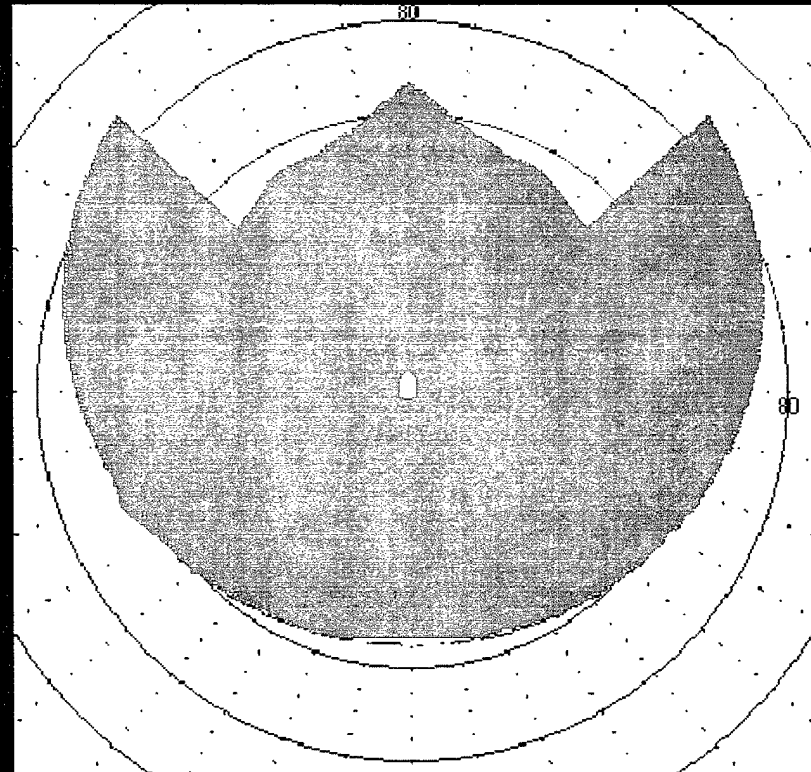
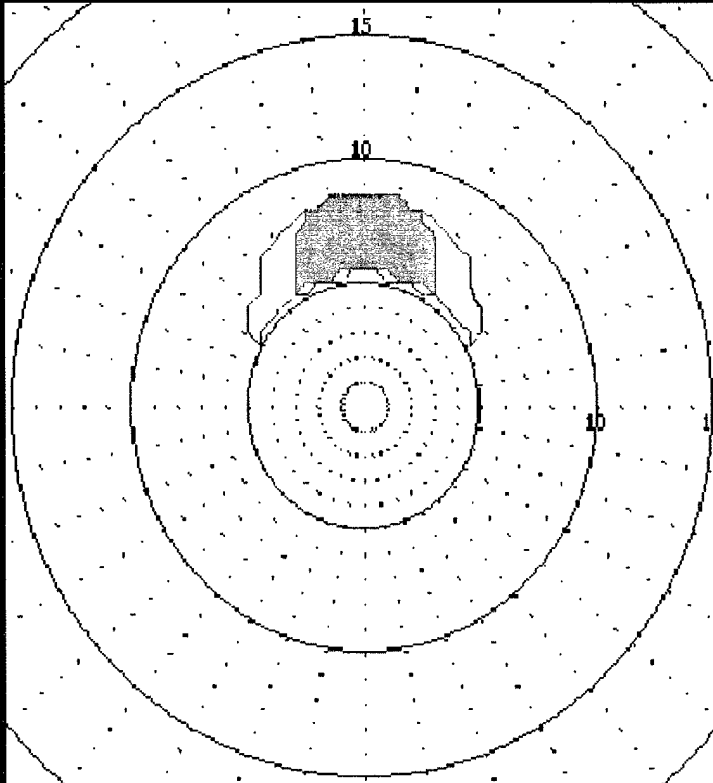
- TRADE OFF HARDENING WITH DIMINISHED THREAT EFFECTS DUE TO CM



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TRADITIONAL VULNERABILITY REDUCTION OBJECTIVES FALL SHORT



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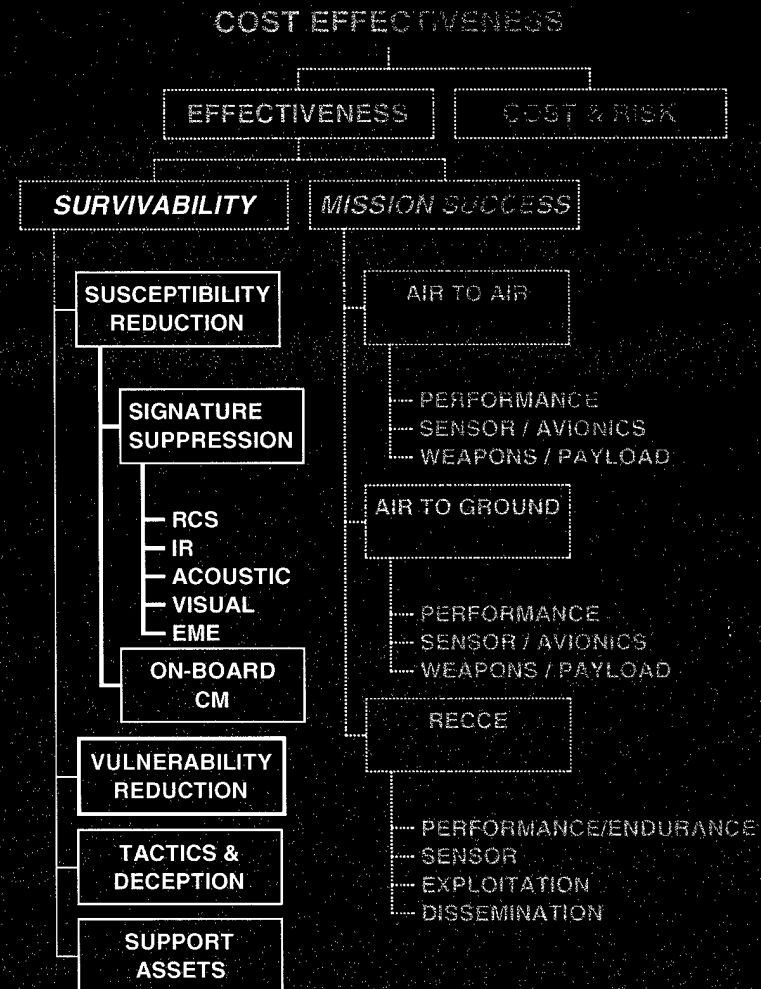
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VULNERABILITY REDUCTION IN BALANCED SURVIVABILITY

- **DEVELOP A SANCTIONED WARHEAD LETHAL RADIUS METHODOLOGY**
- **CONSIDER THREATS LIKELY TO BE ENCOUNTERED**
 - NOT 23MM HEI PROJECTILE AGAINST AN A/C AT 50 KFT
- **UNDERSTAND DAMAGE EFFECTS FROM WARHEAD DETONATION AT APPROPRIATE DISTANCES**
 - FRAGMENTS AS KILLERS OF STRUCTURE & OF INTERNAL COMPONENTS; FRAGMENTS AS FIRE INITIATORS; BLAST EFFECTS ON STRUCTURE

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WARHEAD LETHAL RADIUS INCONSISTENCIES

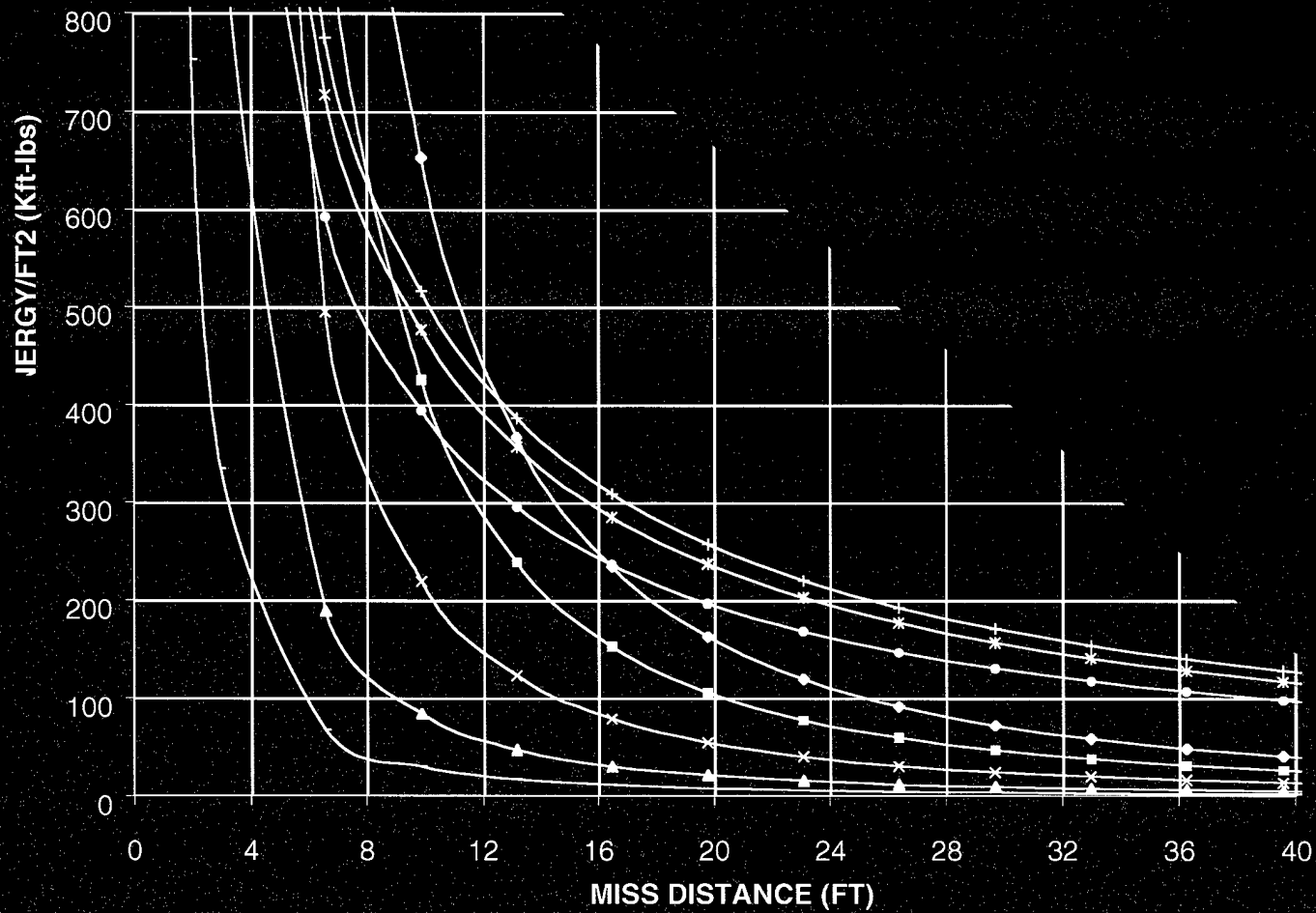
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P	73	30	1.94	1900	21480	90	27.4	0.4
3	73	40.6	4.67	2240	4530	41	11.0	7.5
5	217	90	2/3.5 α	1200 / 1800	16000 / 21000	120	25.0	0.8
2	192	121	7.06	2800	8000	15	29.9	7.0
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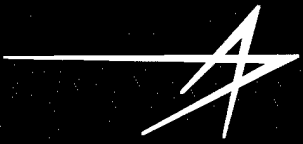


THREAT ENERGY PER UNIT AREA VS MISS DISTANCE



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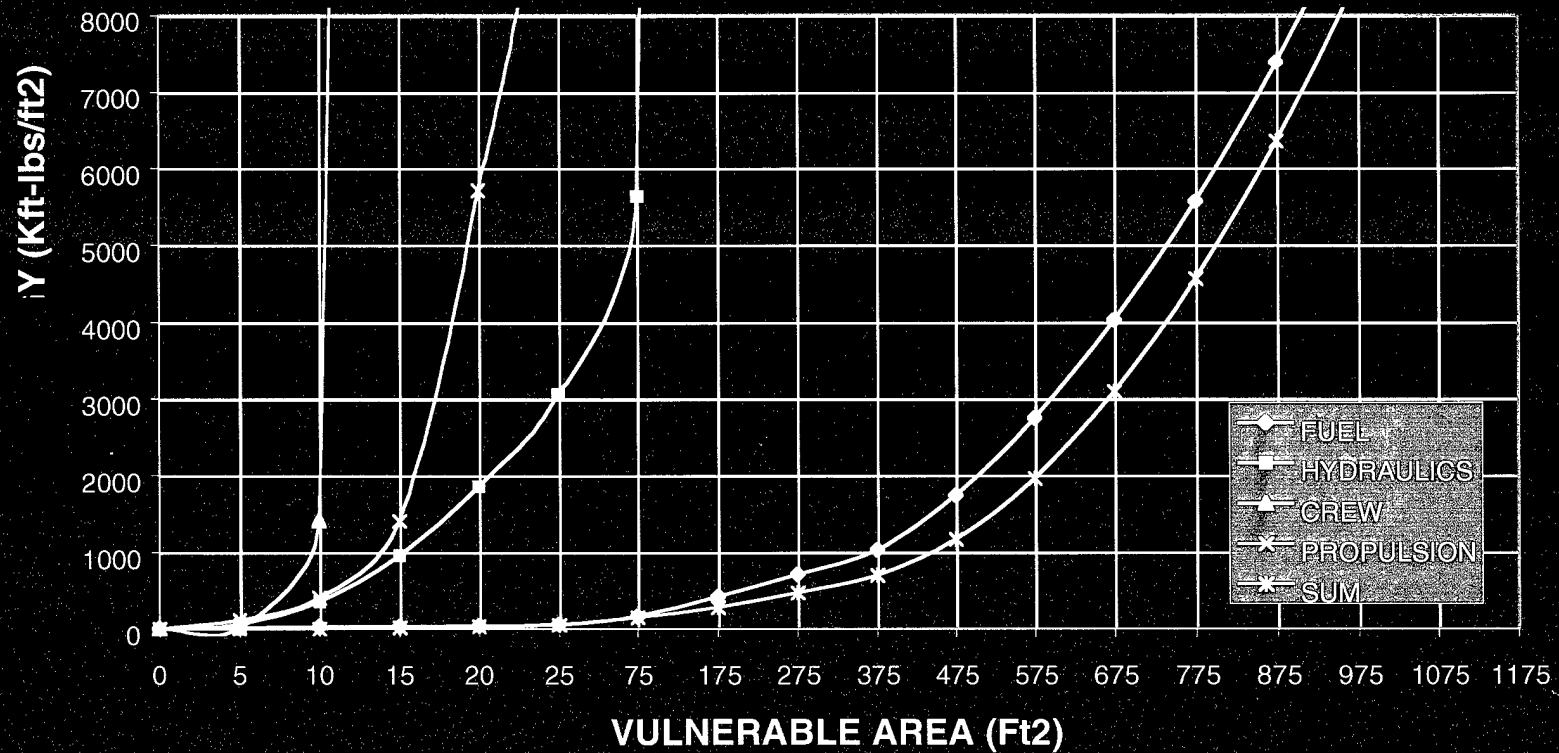
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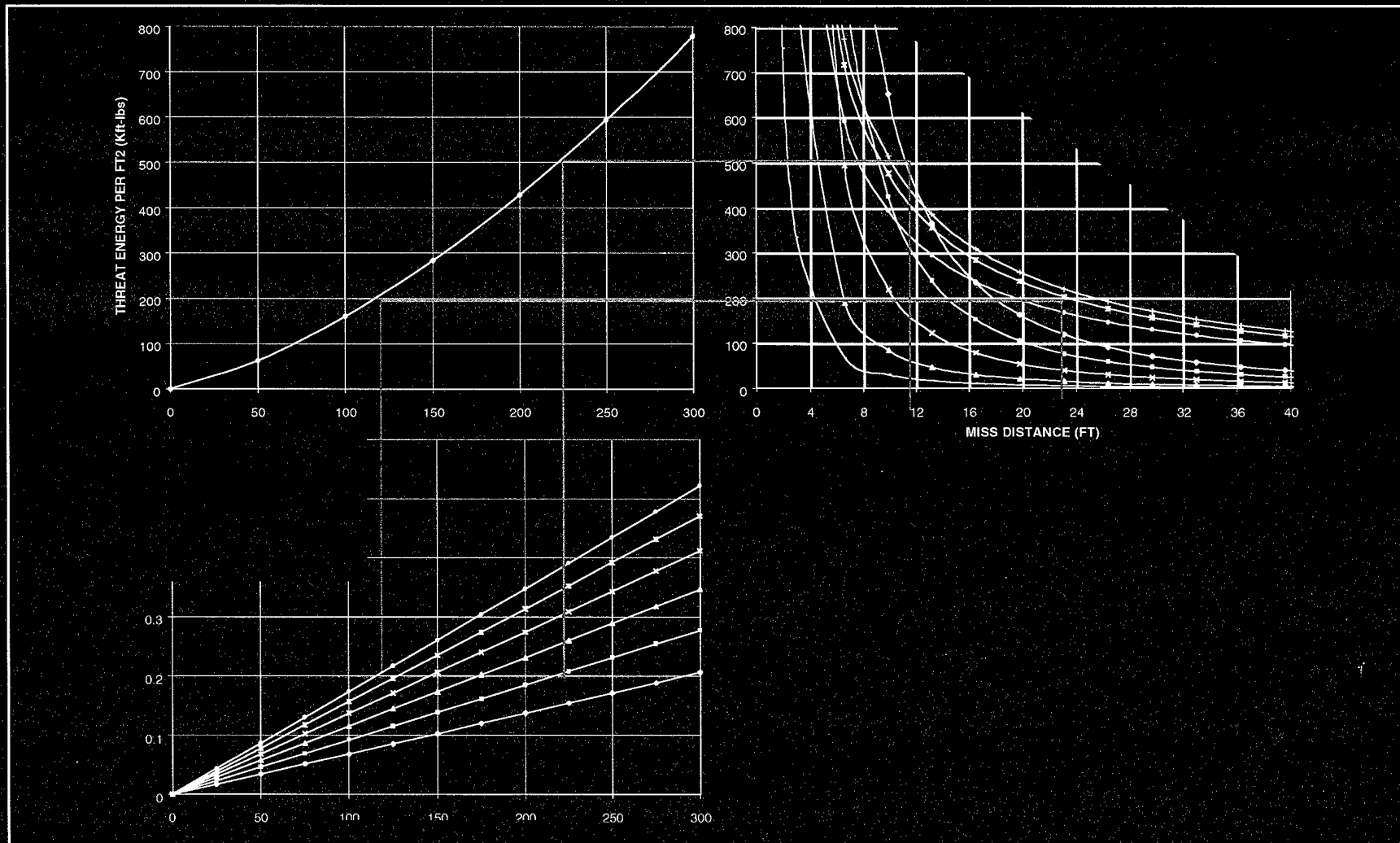


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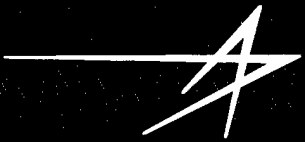
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WARHEAD LETHAL RADIUS NOMOGRAPH



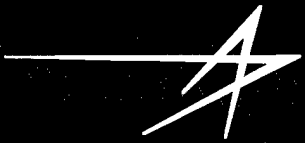
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THE CRITICAL ELEMENT: COST

- **PRESENTED IN VARIOUS FORMS TO ADDRESS FINANCIAL AND SUBJECTIVE ISSUES**

- | | | |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| – FLY-AWAY COST | - | OUT OF POCKET... |
| – LIFE CYCLE COST | - | IN THE LONG RUN... |
| – CAIV | - | WHAT CAN I BUY FOR... |
| – AFFORDABILITY | - | ... |



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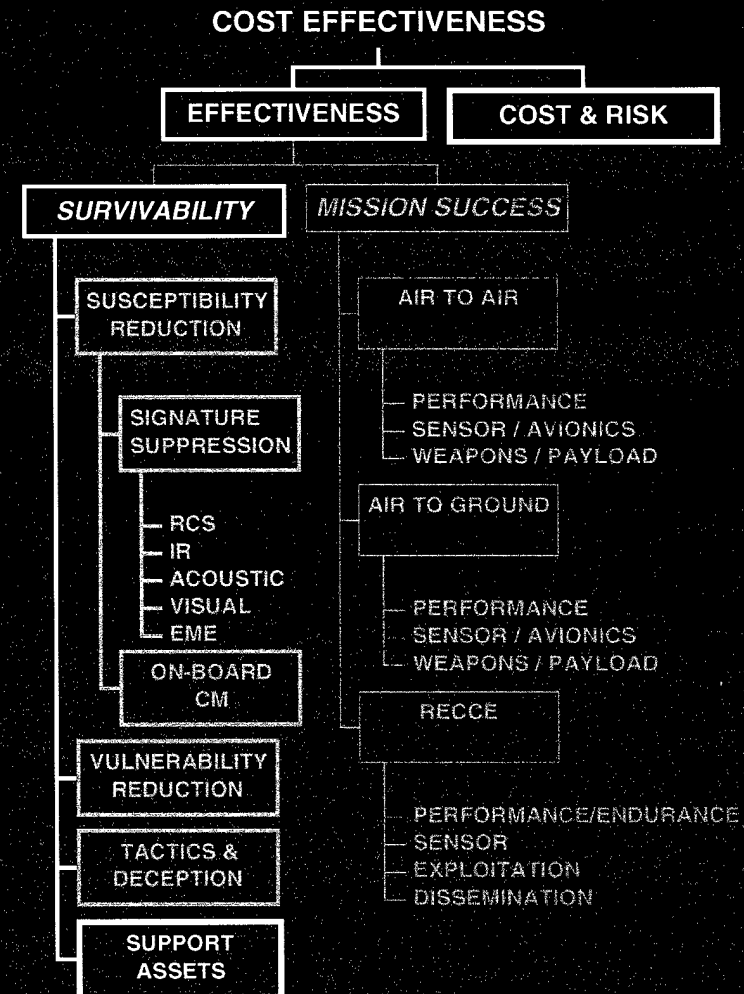
- **COST OF MISSION SUCCESS (AND FAILURE) IS A FUNCTION OF PRIORITIES, STRATEGY, NATIONAL RESOLVE**
 - APOLLO
 - MANHATTAN PROJECT
 - ...
- **WEAPON SYSTEM COST MUST BE CONSIDERED IN THE CONTEXT OF MISSION SUCCESS.**



THE CRITICAL ELEMENT: COST

- **RELIANCE ON EXTERNAL SYSTEMS FOR SURVIVABILITY , COMMITTS THE USER TO MAINTAIN / UPGRADE / REPLACE THE SUPPORT ASSETS IN INVENTORY.**

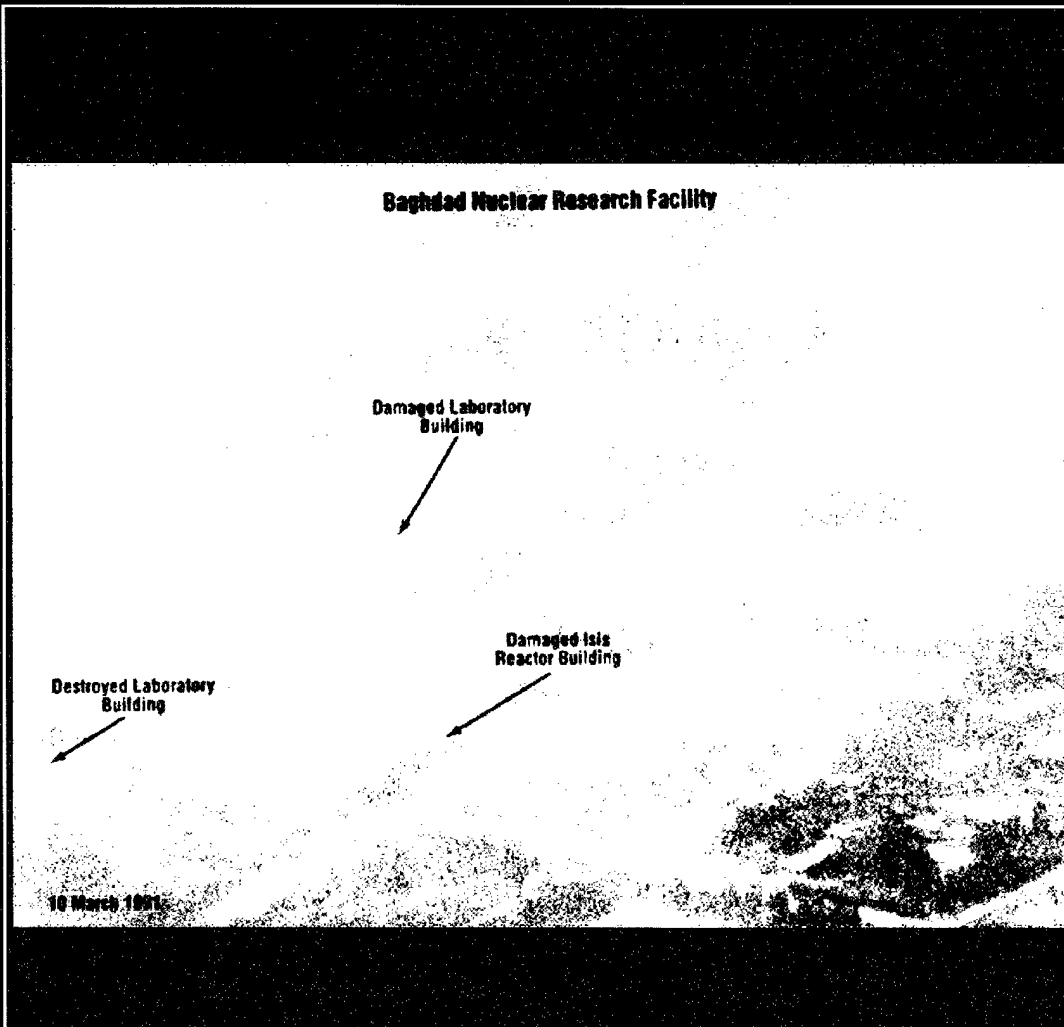
- CRUISE MISSILE STRIKES & SEAD
- HIGHLY SURVIVABLE AIR-TO-GROUND SYSTEMS
- HIGHLY SURVIVABLE AIR-TO-AIR SYSTEMS
- STAND-OFF JAMMERS
- TANKERS



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COST OF MISSION SUCCESS



STRIKE	32	8
F-15	16	
EF-111	4	
F-4G	8	
TANKER	15	2
AIRCRAFT	75	10
LOSSES	2	0
AIRCREW	72 - 132	8 - 16
ASSETS	\$2,328M	\$597M
SORTIE COST	\$7,949K	\$956K
ACQ.	\$9.073M	\$1.756M

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THE COST OF MISSION SUCCESS

- **ONLY WEAPON SYSTEMS THAT ARE, IN THEMSELVES, SURVIVABLE AND EFFECTIVE OFFER THE PROMISE OF LOW COST IN MISSION SUCCESS.**
 - THEY ALSO HAVE THE POTENTIAL TO REDUCE THE TOTAL WEAPONS SYSTEM INVENTORY.
- **MOE'S MUST REFLECT THE CONTRIBUTION OF ALL SYSTEMS BROUGHT TO BEAR IN A MISSION.**
 - COST AND BENEFIT